GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Roads and Buildings Department – Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B) (Retd.) - Placed under suspension – Reinstated into duty – Disciplinary proceedings initiated – Further action dropped – Regularisation of suspension period as duty – Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS AND BUILDINGS (VIG.I.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.

Dated: 6th October, 2008 Read the following:

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.4, TR&B (S.I) Deptt., Dated.03.01.1991.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.397, TR&B (Ser.I.) Deptt., Dt.03.07.1991.
- 3. Judgement of Special Judge for A.C.B. Cases, Vijayawada in C.C.No.31/92, dated 18.10.1996.
- 4. Criminal Appeal No.680/97 filed by the Anti Corruption Bureau ion the High Court of Andhra Pradesh.
- 5. Judgement dated 3.3.2004 of High Court of Andhra Pradesh in Criminal Appeal No.680/1997.
- 6. Govt. Memo.No.4465/Vig.I.1/2004-1, Dt.13.05.2005.
- 7. From Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B) (Retd.), Representation Dt.11.03.2008.
- 8. From I/c Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Administration & National Highways, AP, Hyderabad Lr. No. 68023 / VC(2) / 90, Dt.19.03.2008.

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ORDER:

In the G.O. 1st read above, Sri M.Seshatalpasai, the then Executive Engineer (R&B) (now Retd.) was placed under suspension from service on the allegation of illegal gratification for showing official favour to the contractor and orders were issued for prosecution against the Accused Officer vide G.O. 2nd read above. In the Judgement 3rd read above, the Special Judge for Anti-Corruption Bureau Cases, Vijayawada acquitted him of the charges. Against the said judgement, a criminal appeal was filed in the High Court of Andhra Pradesh. In the Judgement 5th read above the High Court of Andhra Pradesh dismissed the Criminal Appeal confirming the judgement of the lower Court.

- 2. In the Memo. 6th read above, orders were issued dropping further action against Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B) (Retd.).
- 3. In the representation 7th read above, Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B) (Retd.) has requested for regularization of the suspension period as duty. In the reference 8th read above, the I/c Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Administration & National Highways, AP, Hyderabad has requested to treat the suspension period of Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B)(Retd.) from 06.01.1991 FN to 31.12.1995 AN as on duty.
- 4. Government after careful examination of the matter, decided to regularize the period of suspension from 06.01.1991 FN to 31.12.1995 AN as duty in respect of Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B)(Retd.) in terms of F.R. 54-B as the suspension period pertains to the criminal case in which the action was dropped consequent on his acquittal in the Criminal Case in the High Court.

- 5. Accordingly, Government hereby regularize the period of suspension with effect from 06.01.1991 FN to 31.12.1995 AN in respect of Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B)(Retd.) as duty in terms of F.R. 54-B.
- 6. The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Administration, AP, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary action in the matter.
- 7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FR.II) Deptt., vide their U.O.No.24471/532/FR.II/08, Dt.06.09.2008.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.T.CHATTERJEE, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri M.Seshatalpasai, Executive Engineer (R&B)(Retd.)

through the I/c Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Administration & National Highways, AP, Hyderabad.

The I/c Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Administration & National Highways, AP, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Finance (FR.II) Department.

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